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Hey Ryan,

How are you? I hope well.

I was hoping you could find some time to chat with SolarReserve CEO Kevin Smith on June 27th to discuss a massive solar project on BLM land in Nevada. This is finally the kind of solar project you would appreciate. Its a great story, private capital, market competition, US leadership, etc.

SolarReserve has brought its ingenuity to energy and produced a global leader in solar energy generation. This American leadership has facilitated manufacturing jobs, energy exports, and global leadership. Mr. Smith would like to deliver a briefing on the company's newest undertaking, the Sandstone project as well as provide some global perspective on energy export market opportunities. SolarReserve's Sandstone project represents a \$5 billion investment that will provide 2,000 MW of power to approximately 2.6 million homes in the state of Nevada and surrounding western states. The project will provide for 20,000 megawatt-hours of energy storage, create 3,000 construction jobs and 40,000 direct, indirect and induced jobs. The materials and suppliers will come from across the country. Attached are briefing documents about the company and the Sandstone project.

We already have a sister project up and running in NV with Crescent Dunes and a 25 year local power contract.

At this juncture, it appears the only question remarks on the Sandstone project will be getting BLM land approval. I know BLM is not your turf but I think you like the company and the story. All positive.

Please let me know if you could meet on June 27th.

Thanks in advance for the consideration.

Sincerely,

Randall Gerard

SolarReserve

SolarReserve, a private renewable energy company, a leader in solar thermal technology with integrated energy storage. In just seven years, SolarReserve has become one of the world's largest builders of solar power projects, with over 6 gigawatts of awarded projects and \$1.8 billion in worldwide operations. The company was awarded the Platts Global Energy *Rising Star Company Award* for industry leadership in advancing breakthrough energy storage technology, a reference to its innovative use of molten salt thermal stores to maximize solar power.

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